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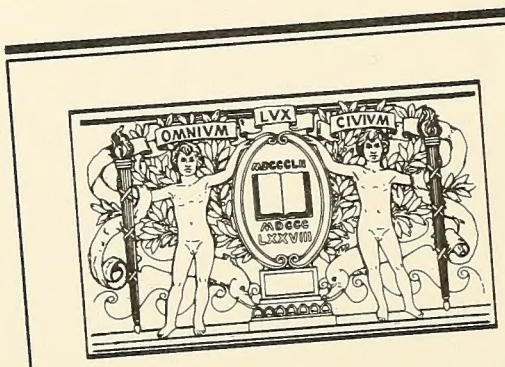

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CITY OF BOSTON
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EXISTING PARK DEPT. FACILITIES

ROXBURY

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WASHINGTON PARK
WOLF SQUARE

CONNOLLY, JOHN J. PLAYGROUND .....

PLAY AREA .....

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MOZART ST. PLAY AREA	$	50.00
PUBLIC GROUND		150.00
TOBIN MEMORIAL BUILDING		
WALNUT PARK PLAYGROUND		734.00
WARREN SQUARE		165.00
WASHINGTON PARK		14,649.00
WOLF SQUARE		205.00
TOTAL	$	110,875.00

CONVALESCENTS
CABOT STREET EXT.

LOC: CEDAR SQUARE DIST. ROXBURY WARD 9

AREA 26,163 Sq. Ft. YR. ACQUIRED. 1912- 1913

HOW ACQUIRED:

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

This is a landscaped square with trees and concrete walks.

TREES: 7 PLANTINGS:

BLDG: 0 SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

SHELTER: 0 SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

	APPROX SIZE	LOCKERS	SHOWERS	W.C.	URINALS	LAV.

SAND BOX					
CLIMBING					
TEETER					
WADING POOL					
SWINGS					

AVENUE

31069

170,326

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YARD

5.10 Acres YR. ACQUIRED. 1903

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: This is one of our large playgrounds, with Tennis Courts, Basketball Courts, playarea, baseball and little league diamonds and large grand-

TREES: 2 PLANTINGS: 0

BLDG: NO SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

SHELTER: 1 SIZE: 43 x 17 TYPE CONSTR: wood

REC. RM						
CUST'D OFFICE						

asphalt			30'benches	grass
	X 1	asphalt		
	X 1	asphalt		

162,123

AREA 2.64 Acres YR. ACQUIRED. 1965 - 1966

HOW ACQUIRED:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This is a small playground, enclosed by walls and fences. It contains softball diamond, basketball court, with lights for evening play.

BLDG: 1 SIZE: 43'-6" x 44'-3" STY: 2 TYPE CONSTR: stone

SHELTER: no SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

ACTIVITIES: SCORT x TOT JR. PASSIVE x

No SURFACE BACKSTOP L.L. FENCE STANDS SEATS

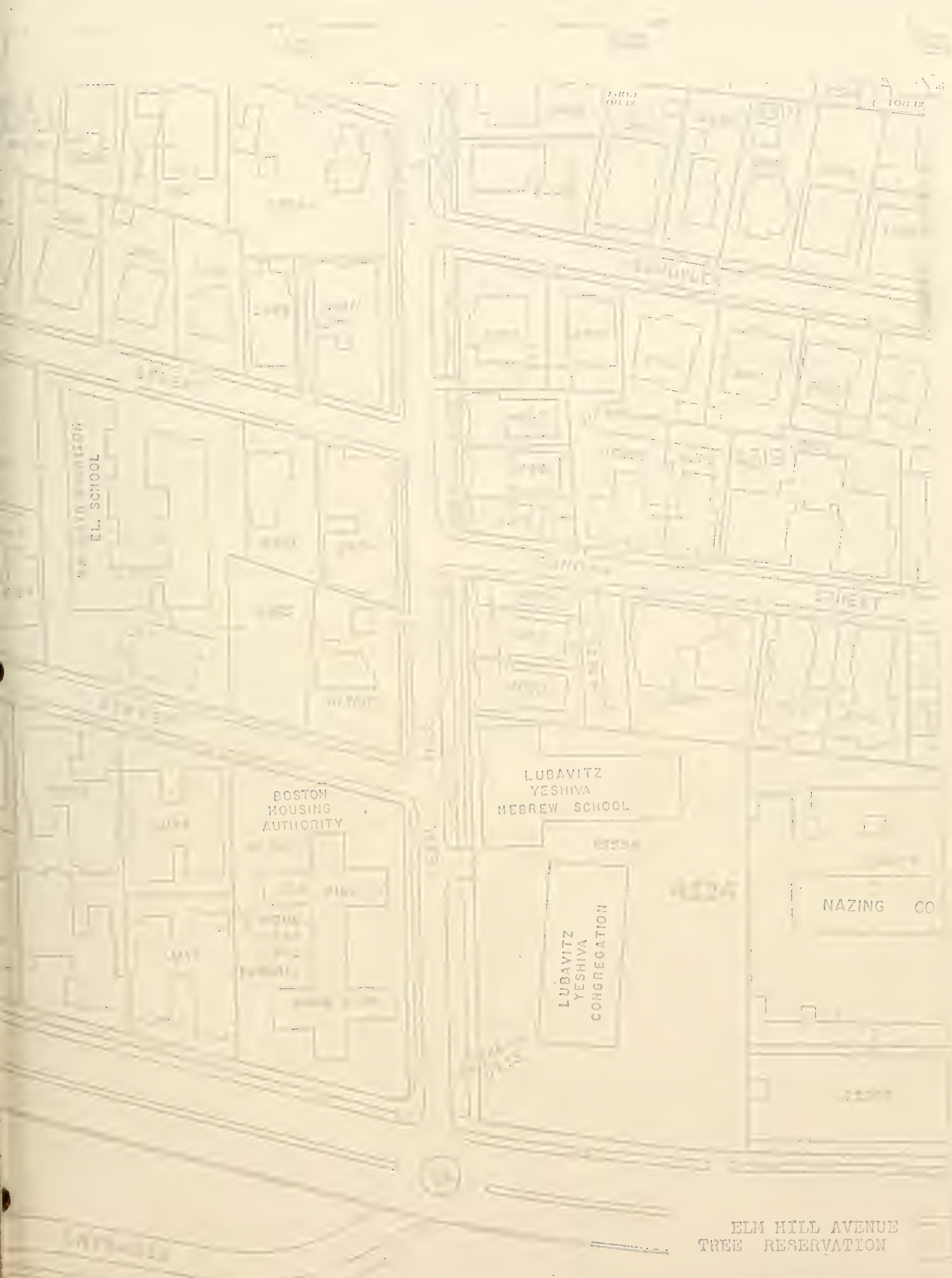
PARKING

SULLIVAN
PLAYGROUND

ELLIOT CEMETERY

LOC: ELIOT CEMETERY DIST. ROXBURY WARD 8

This is one of our old cemeteries.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DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

This reservation no longer exists.

TREES: DRAWINGS:

BLDG: SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

FIELD BOOK

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ELM HILL PARK

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

This is a landscaped center island surrounded by a C.L.F. fence.

TREES: 20 PLANTINGS:

BLDG: SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

N. [illegible] STREET PLAY AREA DIST. ROXBURY WARD 8

AREA 7.60 acres YR. ACQUIRED. 1909

HOW ACQUIRED:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This is one of our major playgrounds.

TREES: 2 PLANTINGS:

BLDG: 1 SIZE: 27x78 STY: TYPE CONSTR: stucco

SHELTER: 1 SIZE: 46x20 TYPE CONSTR: wood

APPROX SIZE, LOCKERS, SHOWERS, W.C., URINALS, LAV.

SCHOOL
HOSPITAL
BRIGHAM

How Acquired:

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

pole and a monument, It was named for a veteran of World War I."

TREES: 2 PLANTINGS: 2

SHELTER: SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

APPROX SIZE LOCKERS SHOWERS W.C. URINALS LAV.

5400
3559
643
1607
1576
3959
3959
HAROLD
HARRIS PARK

LOC: HORATIO HARRIS PARK DIST. ROXBURY WARD 12

AREA 110,040 sq. ft. YR. ACQUIRED. 1912-1913

HOW ACQUIRED: DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This is agrass area., enclosed by stone walls, containing trees, plantings, benches and play equipment.

TREES: or PLANTINGS: 12

TER: SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

CHR'S

ACTIVITIES: SPORT TOT X JR. PASSIVE X

SPORT	No.	SURFACE	BACKSTOP	L.L.	FENCE	SHADE	SEATS

ICE	JR.	No.	SURFACE	OTHER:	No.	SURFACE
				riders	5	grass
				turtle	1	grass
				hexapod	1	grass

STREET
HEATH GOVERNOR SQUAR

HEATH, GENERAL SQ.

AREA 2416 Sq. Ft. 1912 - 1913

How Acquired:

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

This is a landscaped Square.

ACRES: HIGHLAND PARK

YR. ACQUIRED. 1912 & 1913

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

ER. DESCRIPTION:

This is a grassed area with concrete walks. The Roxbury standpipe is located in this park.

TREES: 17 PLANTINGS: 0

SHELTER: SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

PK. RM

GERTRUDE HOWES PLAY GROUND DIST. ROXBURY WARD 12

1.88 acres

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This is a small playground with a shelter benches and playground equipment

13 PLANTINGS:

SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

SHELTER: 1 SIZE: 46x21 TYPE CONSTR: wood

Basketball

Volleyball

Softball

JEFFERSON

This is one of our major playground facilities.

BLDG: 1 SIZE: 50 x 20 STY: 1 TYPE CONSTR: brick

SHELTER: NO SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

REC. RM	APPROX SIZE	LOCKERS	SHOWERS	W. C.	URINALS	LAV.

asphalt
asphalt
asphalt

asphalt
asphalt

COURTS

LOC: JOSLIN PARK-DEACONESS RD. & BROOKLINE AVE. DIST. Ward 11

AREA 13,500 sq. ft.

HOW ACQUIRED:

Department Consolidation

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

A grassed area with trees and plantings.

CLIMBING

N S PLAY AR

AREA 0.32 Acres YR. ACQUIRED. 1943

HOW ACQUIRED:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This play needs a re-evaluation and an engineering survey.

TREES: PLANTINGS:

SHELTER: SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

	APPROX SIZE	LOCKERS	SHOWERS	W.C.	URINALS	LAV.
P.A.						

5,600 Sq. Ft. Yr. Acquired, 1912-13

This is a small asphalt paved area.

BUILDINGS:

SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

LOCATION:	SEWER	TOT	FIR.	PAVING

1400
3700

LOC: LINWOOD PARK DIST: ROXBURY Map 9

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

A small grassed area with plantings.

SHELTER: 1 PLANTINGS: 2

SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

SHELTER: SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

APPROX SIZE LOCKERS SHOWERS W.C. URINALS LAV.

LOC: MADISON PARK WESTMINISTER ST

How Acquired:

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

Description:

This is a grassed area with concrete walks and benches.

TREES: 5 PLANTINGS:

BLDG: SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

SHELTER: SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

WATER APPROX SIZE LOCKERS SHOWERS W.C. URINALS LAV.

LOC: JOSEPH MC LAUGHLIN PLAYGROUND DIST: ROXBURY WARD 10

AREA 11.54 acres YR.

This is one of our larger playgrounds with tennis courts, softball and little league diamond, grassed area paved walks and a locker building

TREES: 24 PLANTINGS:

979,413
PARKING
MAURICE J.
TOBIN SCHOOL
103,731
BOSTON PUBLIC
LIBRARY
PARKER
HILL DR.
1497
1490
1432
15,441
1502
1500
1470
1422
2510
2595
1418
1426
1435
1552
1543
STREET
BURNLEY
MISSION CHURCH
MISSION HILL

DIST. ROXBURY

This area contains grassed areas, walks, walls, play equipment and facilities for softball. Tot area should be reconstructed.

PLAYGROUNDS

AREA

TYPE SURFACE

	APPROX. SIZE	LOCKERS	SHOWERS	W.C.	URINALS	LAV.
P.P.I.						
PLAYGROUND						

JUNIOR X TOT X

LOC. POINT STREET PLAYAREA DIST. ROXBURY Map 29

AREA Approx. 35,000 Sq. Ft. YR. ACQUIRED. 1959

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This is a new play are facility.

TREES: 0 PLANTINGS: 0

BLDG: 1 SIZE: 23 x 21 STY: 1 TYPE CONSTR: brick and cement block

REC'D	APPRAISE	LOCKERS	SHOWERS	W.C.	URINALS	LAV.

STORY: 1

FLR. SURFACE

Lease: 101,042

Now Numbered.

Census, 1912-1

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

This area contains a softball diamond, handball co courts, play equipment, wading pool. grassed area. asphalt and concrete paving.

City: Texas Causeway

Area in Sq. Lockers Showers W. C. Lavs. Lav.

Loc: PUBLIC GROUND Dist: ROXBURY

BRIEF DESCRIPTION:

This is a small grassed area

BUILDINGS:

SIZE: STY: TYPE CONSTR:

STRUCTURE: SIZE: TYPE CONSTR:

APPROX SIZE	LOCKERS	SHOWERS	W.C.	URINALS	LAV.

Loc: ST. JAMES PARK Dist: ROXBURY Ward

Area: 0.40 acres Yr. Acquired: 1966

How Acquired:

B.R.A.

Other Descriptions: This is a small landscaped Park with play equipment located on it enclosed by a fence.

Size: Sty: Type Constr:

Size: Type Constr:

Lockers	Showers	W.C.	Urinals	Lav.

Tennis Courts

UNDEVELOPED AREA

MAURICE J.
TOBIN SCHOOL
184731

CRESTWOOD

Concrete and asphalt area with benches, trees and shrubs.

This is an asphalt surfaced area with play equipment and a wading pool on the site.

N SQUARE

DEPARTMENTAL CONSOLIDATION

This is a guarded area enclosed by an Iron Picket Fence. There is a statue of General Wadsworth on the grounds.

RECEIVED
JUL 10 1961
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DEPARTMENT CONSOLIDATION

This is a large grass area with numerous concrete walks within the area. There is a basket ball court.

DEPARTMENT COORDINATION

Board Observations:

This is a grass area enclosed by an iron fence.